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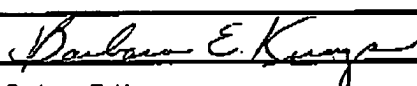
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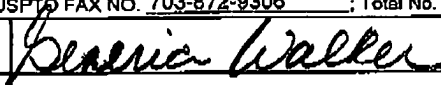
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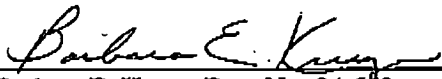
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In response to the Restriction Requirement imposed by the Examiner in the above-referenced Office Action, Applicant hereby provisionally elects Group I. Applicant hereby provisionally elects the species that is Example 13 in Table 1 on page 29 of the specification.

The Examiner has requested that Applicant list all claims readable on the species election. Claims that read on the species include claims 1-7.

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